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BACK-ASSESSES TIMBER IN GRENADA COUNTY

State Revenue Department Appears Before Board of Supervisors with Back-Assessments on Timber of Several Grenada County Citizens. Some Make Adjustments, Others Passed to January Term. What the Law is Regarding this Matter.

A representative of the office of the State Revenue agent, the "back tax" man, appeared before the Grenada County board of supervisors Monday relative to some assessments made against some dozen or more land owners on timber alleged to have never been assessed. The law requires open or cultivable lands and wild or timbered lands to be assessed separately and if there is any assessment at all placed on the timbered lands, it cannot be back-assessed but a great many land owners all over the state either do not know this or they overlook it. But in view of the fact that timber and lumber have gone to such high prices, and that the timber is being so rapidly cut and sold, it is not surprising that the matter of assessing timber is being given such close attention.

Something over $400 was paid in on agreed assessments Monday on the back-assessments but most of the cases were passed until the first Monday in January. The present revenue agent's term does not expire until January 19, and, as this paper is advised, under the law all suits he begins will be prosecuted in his name even though he be out of office. The deputy revenue agent who was here told a Sentinel representative that a timber estimator would be sen to the county some time between now and the time of the January meeting of the supervisors so that his department might be properly advised as to just what was on any lands. As a rule, the revenue agent is very liberal in making adjustments with any whom he has assessed and it is fair to assume that he will not fail to do his with any whom he may have assessed in this county. These persons back-assessed are among Grenada County's best citizens and it is safe to say that if they have any timber which ought to be on the assessment rolls that is not there, it was an oversight or it is because they left the matter of listing their lands to someone else, nevertheless if the timber is there and the law requires it to be assessed, it would seem that there is no way open to the officials except to make the assessments at least somewhat on the basis of what the state revenue agent has fixed.

In this day of high and increasing taxes and of what many regard as a waste of public money, there are many of the state's best citizens who chafe at the thought of any official digging into what property they may have assessed and their property values, but so long as there is a strain about getting money to meet public expenditures, the public may expect some official to be scrutinizing assessments.

Where there are no adjustments between the property owners and the revenue agent, and when supervisors refuse to make any assessment, the revenue agent appeals to the circuit court.

This paper thinks it sees such situations from the angle of the property owner while at the same time it recognizes the position of the revenue agent and it hopes that that thing will be done which is fair, just and right to all parties concerned.

MEMPHIS ACCOMMODATION ARRIVES EARLIER.

Effective last Sunday night, the schedule of the Memphis accommodation, train number 131, was changed to make it arrive in Grenada at 9:00 o'clock instead of 9:30 as heretofore. The train leaves Memphis at 5:00 p. m., ten minutes earlier than formerly, cutting twenty minutes off the running time. The schedule is still a slow one due to the fact that the train has to sidetrack at Senatobia for number four and at Oakland for number eight.

The change was made at the request of the former Grenada County Chamber of Commerce.

MRS. L. A. C. KNOX PASSES AWAY.

On last Saturday morning December 1, 1923, nine-thirty o'clock, eight days after the death of her son, Mr. F. M. Lewis, the soul of Mrs. L. A. C. Knox winged its way into the Great Beyond, there to await the Resurrection Morn when loved ones shall be reunited and where there shall be no partings and no sorrows. Mrs. Knox had been ill only a short while but her age tended to lessen her power of resistance to bodily ailments. It was not thought that she was in a serious condition but the loss of her son, with whom she had been making her home for years and to whom she had given her greatest love and devotion, was, no doubt, one from which she could not recover.

Mrs. Knox was born in South Carolina, June 2, 1836. Her parents moved to Mississippi when she was a mere child, settling in the Spring Hill neighborhood in this county. Her first husband, Mr. Lewis, died in 1855 and her second husband, Mr. Knox, preceded her to the grave by more than a score of years. Since the latter's death, she had lived with her son and had lavished on him and on her grandchildren, who lost their mother when little tots, the affection and tenderness usually found only in a mother. Up until about two weeks before her death, she was up and about the duties of the house.

The funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock by Rev. Mellville Johnson, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which Mrs. Knox had been a life-long member, after which interment was had in Odd Fellows cemetery.

To Edwin B. Lewis, grandson, Mrs. Emmel Golden and Miss Nannie C. Lewis, granddaughters, Barclay Lewis, Jr., greatgrandson, and other bereaved relatives, The Sentinel extends its deepest condolence.

BEAT 4 WANTS SEPARATE DISTRICT

Supervisors Order Election to be Held on December 21st to Determine if Separate Road District Shall be Formed of Beat 4. Petition Presented Contains Required Percentage of Voters.

At its regular December meeting, the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, acting upon a petition signed by more than 20% of the qualified electors of Supervisor's District number four requesting that a separate road district be formed of that district, have ordered an election to be held at the various voting precincts in beat 4 on Friday, Dec. 21, as to whether or not this petition shall be granted.

If the election should carry in favor of the separation, there will be three separate road districts in the county as beats one and five have already voted and carried the question.

HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR STATE FESTIVAL MUSIC.

At a meeting in the Directors Room of the Grenada Bank Monday, the committee was formed which will foster the publicity for the coming State Festival of Music.

The meeting was called at the request of George R. Powell, representative of the Executive committee in Jackson.

Mrs. Hubert Calhoon was appointed Chairman of the county committee with Mrs. Anna Ellis Dexter, Secretary. The following ladies with others to be announced later will constitute the committee: Mrs. Hubert Calhoon, Chairman, Mrs. Anna Ellis Dexter, Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Campbell, Mrs. Maywood Smith, Mrs. H. J. Ray.

Mr. Powell stated that never before in the history of the state had the music lovers such an opportunity of enjoying artists as will be at the State Festival of Music to be held in Jackson's new Municipal Auditorium, May 1 and 2, 1924.

AT HOME AGAIN.

After a six weeks' sojourn in Lucy Brinkley Hospital at Memphis, where I underwent a serious surgical operation, I am at home again, having arrived Thanksgiving Day.

Truly has it been said, "there is no place like home," and there is hardly any place better suited to make one thoroughly appreciate the beauty of that statement than a hospital.

If it were possible for me to garner golden words and express them with a voice akin to the celestial or with a pen aflow with purity, I could not tell how grateful I am, and how deeply I appreciate every letter I received from anxious friends and the many inquiries about my welfare made of my children and others. The many beautiful letters I shall keep for the inspiration and hope they gave me in those trying days. As soon as I am physically able, I want to write each and every one. I got from three to five letters every day from my six children and if I had not already been many hundred times compensated for my care of them and love for them, those letters satisfied seventy times seven.

The many beautiful flowers sent me were greatly appreciated. Their aroma served to emphasize God's love and the kinship of the donors to the angels of mercy.

I was in good hands. I had the care and attention of three of the finest doctors in the land and the attention of a nurse second to none. And I feel that I would be guilty of a wanton omission did I not mention my family physician and good friend, Dr. J. S. Sharp, who was with me the day I was operated on and who visited me one time afterward.

The name Grenada has been sweet to me these many years but never was there such a melody and such a charm to the word as my stay lengthened at the hospital. And it is the dear, good people who reside here that make Grenada ring with the ecstacy of "Home, Sweet Home."

There have been many hallowed Thanksgiving Days in our humble home, but there was never one through which the goodness and love of a benign Providence shone so beautifully as on Thanksgiving Day, November 29, 1923. All my children save one, and he came later, were here to greet me and truly did joy reign supreme. To my gracious Lord and glorious Heavenly Father, I give all the praise for my being able to return. It was He who guided the good doctors; it was He who stood at my bedside and brought me safe thus far and it is upon Him I am relying to restore me to good health. I hope I am a better man by what I have passed through. I trust that day by day I shall show my gratitude to my Lord by being more tolerant in all things and by having a more forgiving and Christ-like spirit in dealing with my fellow-men. I crave the knowledge, the discretion and the grace to show the beauty and the reality of the religion of my Lord to others.

I am far from being well yet and the doctors advise that I may have to remain at home for two weeks or maybe longer and that it will be January 1, before I am able to get to work. In the meantime, I ask to be remembered by those whose petitions have meant so much to me thus far. My son, Malcolm, will continue to look after The Sentinel and I want to take occasion here to sincerely thank the many who have so generously aided him by their words of encouragement and commendation.

There is much more in my heart that I want to say but I have already made this article longer than I intended when I began it. Grenada and Grenada County are the dearest spots on earth. May Heaven's benedictions be and abide with each and every one of its people.

Gratefully,

O. F. LAWRENCE.

WHO IN COUNTY IS OLDEST INHABITANT?

The Sentinel Would be Glad to Find Out Who is the Oldest Man and Who is the Oldest Woman, both White and Colored, in Grenada County.

The Sentinel would like to know just who is the oldest white man and who is the oldest white woman and also the oldest colored man and the oldest colored woman in Grenada County. There are many living in the county who feel sure that they are the oldest citizens and The Sentinel would like to have the question settled.

This paper would be glad to hear from those who think they have been in this world the greatest number of years and would like to have them state the date and place of birth, together with a brief life history. If there is a good photograph of yourself available send it along too.

Or if there is someone that knows another whom he thinks is pretty well along in years, The Sentinel would be glad to get this information.

Who'll be the first to claim this distinction? The question should be settled and there are a great many people in the county who would be glad to know who is the oldest citizen.

WOMAN'S CLUB FORMS CIVIC DEPARTMENT.

At the last meeting of the Grenada County Woman's Club, the Civic Department was organized with Miss Courtney Tatum at its head. Assisting Miss Tatum are Mesdames H. J. Ray and Genie Wright and Mrs. J. L. Avent is Financial Secretary. This is the first of five departments that are to be organized. The club hopes to systematize its work and make it more efficient by dividing it among the various groups. The other four departments will have to do with art, music, literature and health.

The dues have been changed as follows: $1.75 per year, 75c to Federation and $1.00 to each department over which the club has no jurisdiction. A cordial invitation is extended by the club to all who are interested in the progress and beauty of Grenada to join in this week.

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ATKINSON GETS LIFE FOR MURDER OF OFFICER

Brother's Trial Yet to be Heard. Two Suicides Result of Home Brew Activities; Green County Tragedy Was First of State.

Carthage, Miss., Dec. 1.—Foot prints in the Leake County woods caused the murder of a federal prohibition officer, J. P. Owen. For this crime Will Atkinson, alleged moonshiner, has been sentenced to a life term in the penitentiary and Jeff Atkinson, a brother, will be tried for murder at the next term of circuit court in Carthage.

The testimony in the trial of last week at Carthage, the Leake county capital, revealed that the discovery of footprints leading to twelve barrels of mash led to the gun battle.

Owen, federal operative, was in the vicinity of Ackerman when a Leake county call was sent out for federal aid. The raider was ordered to Ethel where he was met by county officers and they went on the man hunt deep into the forests of Leake. The officers reached the scene of the moonshine activities after a 25-mile ride and walk. There they hid until daybreak, expecting the shiners to move their mash or move a still nearer there.

Mash Stirred at Dawn

At daybreak, according to the federal report on the case, three men came to the mash and stirred each barrel. The officers watched the preparations and saw molasses added to the mash. The three men, Will Atkinson, Leon Daugherty and George Myrick, a negro, after stirring the mash departed, according to the government report.

Will Ligon, a white tenant living on the Atkinson place, went to the woods to chop fire wood. And it was he who discovered strange tracks leading in the direction of the store of mash, the report shows.

Atkinsons Take Trail

It was contended that Ligon immediately went to the house of Will Atkinson and reported the footprints. And then a counter man hunt started. Will and Jeff Atkinson, both armed with shotguns took the trail. They followed the tracks in the damp soil to the mash. When they caught sight of an officer they opened fire. The officers returned the gun fire and the brothers ran. But Owen, the only federal agent in the raiding band, had fallen mortally wounded with two buck-shot trough his stomach and one through his thigh. He died on September 6 in a Jackson oospital. He was wounded August 22, 1922.

Ellie S. Chapman, chief of the federal field agents put his entire raiding force into Leake county and Will Atkinson, armed with a pistol and dressed in women's clothing, was arrested in a house in Kosciusko. Jeff Atkinson also was arrested.

The men were tried and convicted in the Hinds county circuit court but their cases upon appeal, were sent back for new trial in the county in which the shooting occurred. The first conviction in Leake county was that of last week when the jury returned a verdict but had disagreed upon the punishment. This automacally made the penalty life imprisonment instead of death on the gallows.

Friend Commits Suicide

But the killing of Owen was not the only death in connection with the raid. Andy McNair, living in Attala county near the scene and who was a close friend of the Atkinsons, arose one night at o'clock, called his wife and children out of bed and read a chapter from the Bible. McNair, said to have been troubled over the Atkinson brothers climbed into a tree in his front yard and plunged to the ground. His neck was broken. He died instantly. McNair was never charged with any connection, however, with the killing of Owen or with operating the still suspected of being on the Atkinson place.

The trial of the Atkinsons was a hard fought legal battle. Five able lawyers represented the defendants. The attorneys were Crawley, Glass and Luckett of Kosciusko, Will Triplett of Carthage and Earl Richardson of Philadelphia. The prosecuting attorneys were: McMillan and Leach of Kosciusko, District Attorney D. M. Anderson, Judge J. A. Teat of Jackson, County Attorney Barnett of Leake and Rush Knox, attorney-general elect. Part of the counsel was employed by the relatives of the slain federal officer. No government funds were available for legal fees. Judge Teat offered his services without a question of cost in assisting in the prosecution of Will Atkinson.

Leake Is Aroused

"The people of Leake have been aroused," said M. H. Daily, federal prohibition director, "to the many dangers in moonshining and are assisting in the strict enforcement of the prohibition law."

"The attitude of the citizens in Leake has undergone a change," said Chief Chapman. "They are alive to the dangers now where formerly they looked upon the enforcement of the law as being the sole duty of the officers. With the cooperation of the people we can clean the county up. The tragic death of the lovable Owen has driven home to the Leake county people the moonshine menace."

The federal prohibition officers said the strongest indication of the drift toward law enforcement was the fact that at the last election the political issue was "dry law enforcement." Every officer from constable on up was elected on the law enforcement ticket.

CLUB MEMBERS LEAVE FOR CHICAGO

Through the efforts of the club members of Grenada County, and the interest of the North Mississippi Fair Association and the Illinois Central Railroad, Miss Clarice Fite, Cebron Mann, and Frank Thomason won trips to the National Live Stock Show at Chicago. These happy young Americans, Saturday at noon joined a party of Extension workers and other successful club members from the different counties to participate in the Educational tour.

The trip won by Miss Fite was given by the Illinois Central Railroad for the best record in canning. Cebron Mann won the trip given by the North Mississippi Fair Association for the best record in pig club work. In addition to the trip Cebron won about $75.00 in prize money at the fair. Frank Thomason won the trip given by the Illinois Central Railroad for the best all round club work.

These boys and girls are to be congratulated on winning this trip and every effort is being made to make this a wonderful trip for all participating.

VOTERS TO PASS ON CHARTER AMENDMENT

Proposed Amendment to City Charter Will be Submitted to Electorate, Saturday, December 29. If Amendment Carries, Office of City Treasurer Will be Abolished, City Marshal's and Recorder's Duties Will be Changed.

The mayor and board of aldermen have ordered an election to be held at the mayor's office on Saturday, Dec. 29, so that the electorate of the city of Grenada may decide whether or not the proposed amendment to the city charter shall be made. The amendment purposes abolishing the office of city treasurer and will change the duties of the city marshal so as to make him only a police officer, elected by the people, and make the city recorder perform the duties of tax assessor and collector now performed by the marshal. If the amendment carries, the city recorder will be appointed by the mayor and board of aldermen and his duties will require that he remain at the mayor's office his full time and will enable one who wishes to obtain information about the city's affairs to secure this information in a very few minutes.

Had there not been a protest against the amendment it would have been made without an election but a sufficient number of voters signed petitions protesting against its adoption to necessitate an election.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

On February 14th, 1923, Will Harbin and his wife, Lula Harbin, executed to A. G. Roane, Trustee, trust deed conveying the following property:

Lots 1 and 2, Section 19, Township 22, Range 3 East, Grenada County, Mississippi, containing 113 acres, and four mules, together with crop to be grown in 1923, to secure an indebtedness to Bank of Holcomb, as therein set out. This trust deed is of record Book 60 page 103, Chancery Clerk's office, Grenada County. Default having been made in payment of the indebtedness secured by said trust deed, and at the request of beneficiary and under terms thereof, I will proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder within legal hours in front of the East door of the Court House, Grenada, Miss., on the 15th day of December, 1923, the above described land together with personal property and such part of the crop which has not been sold.

This the 22nd day of November, 1923. A. G. Roane, Trustee

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THE CHARTER OF INCORPORATION OF THE GRENADA HOSPITAL.

1. The corporate title of said company is The Grenada Hospital.

2. The names of the incorporators are: F. S. Hill, Grenada, Miss., J. K. Avent, Grenada, Miss.

3. The domicile is at Grenada, Grenada County, Mississippi.

4. Amount of capital stock Ten Thousand ($10,000) Dollars.

5. The par value of shares is One Hundred Dollars.

6. The period of existence (not to exceed fifty years) is Fifty years.

7. The purpose for which it is created: To establish, own and operate a General Hospital for the reception, treatment, and nursing of patients, and in connection therewith, the establishment and operation of a training school for nurses: and to purchase, own, and hold real estate, buildings, and other property necessary for the proper operation of said hospital and training school; to establish and maintain both pay and charity wards in said hospital; and to receive and use any and all donations, or endowments that may be made to said hospital for use in maintaining charity wards, and caring for and treating patients in said hospital.

8. The right and powers that may be exercised by this corporation are those conferred by the provisions of Chapter 24, Mississippi Code, 1906.

J. K. AVENT, M. D.
FRANK S. HILL, M. D.
Incorporators.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,
County of Grenada.

This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority F. S. Hill and J. K. Avent, Grenada, Mississippi, incorporators of the corporation known as the Grenada Hospital who acknowledged that they signed and executed the above and foregoing articles of incorporation as their act and deed on this the 21 day of November, 1923.

A. N. RAYBURN, Notary Public
My commission expires Aug. 15, 1927
11 23 3t.

NOTICE TO ROAD CONTRACTORS

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Grenada County, Miss., at the Court House, Grenada, Miss., until 11:00 o'clock A. M. Monday, December 17, 1923, and at that time publicly opened for the construction of Federal Aid Project No. 147-A (Station 0-00 to Station 331), the same being a part of State Trunk Road No..... Between Calhoun City and Grenada.

The length of road to be improved or constructed is 6.264 miles and the principal items of work are approximately as follows:

11.3 Acres Clearing and Grubbing.
23656.0 Cu. Yds. Common Excavation.
56124.0 Cu. Yds. Borrow Excavation.
185.0 Lin. Ft. 18" T. S. V. C. Pipe.
315.24 Cu. Yds. Class "A" Concrete in culverts
12.48 Cu. Yds. Class "C" Concrete in culverts.
31974.0 Lbs. Reinforcing steel in culverts.
4.57 Miles Bermuda sod.

BRIDGES OVER 20' SPAN:

485.83 Cu. Yds. Class "A" Concrete.
52690.0 Lbs. Reinforcing steel.
768.0 Lin. Ft. Foundation piling.
196162.0 Ft. B. M. Creosoted lumber
9920.0 Ft. B. M. Untreated lumber
8616.0 Lin. Ft. Creosoted piling.
201.5 Sq. Yds. Concrete paving.
423. 0 Cu. Yds. Gravel, 1 mile haul complete.
14261.0 Units Gravel, ½ mile overhaul.
308.0 Lin. Ft. Concrete railing.
1.0 100 ft. Steel span complete except floor.

Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Jackson and in the office of the Chancery Clerk in the Court House, Grenada, Miss. Any additional information may be secured from the State Highway Engineer, Jackson, Miss.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Proposal bond or certified check for $5000.00 made payable to Board of Supervisors of Grenada County must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith and as a guarantee that if awarded contract, the bidder will execute the contract and give bond as required.

H. C. DIETZER,
11 23 4t State Highway Engineer

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the contract and partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, L. B. Mawk, John Borden and R. W. Jones is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The said John Borden and R. W. Jones assuming the payment of all legal debts heretofore properly incurred in and under said contract and partnership, but will not be responsible for any debts, contracts or obligations of the said L. B. Mawk made from and after this date.

This the 24th day of November, A. D. 1923.

JOHN BORDEN,
ROLAND W. JONES
L. B. MAWK

11 30 3t

POSTED NOTICE

This is to notify all parties that my land three miles north of Jefferson is posted against hunting and all trespassing.

Anderson Liddell

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the last will and testament of Oscar F. Bledsoe, deceased, were granted to the undersigned executor on his request, on the 30th day of Nov. 1923, by the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi.

All persons having claims against the said estate are required to have the same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months; and a failure to probate and register the said claims will forever bar the same.

Grenada, Miss., Nov. 30th, 1923.
O. F. BLEDSOE, JR.,
Executor of the estate of Oscar F. Bledsoe, deceased.
12 7 3t.

ELECTION NOTICE

To the qualified electors of the City of Grenada, Mississippi:

The undersigned hereby give notice that an election will be held in said city on Saturday, December 29th, 1923, within legal hours, at the Mayor's Office, the regular voting precinct in said city, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said city whether they will ratify the following proposed amendment to the charter of said city, reading as follows:

The City Marshal shall be elected as heretofore and shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties prescribed by city charter prior to the amendment, except in the assessment and collection of taxes. The City Recorder shall be appointed by the Board and shall possess all the powers and exercise all the duties prescribed by the city charter and shall also possess all the powers and perform all the duties heretofore possessed and performed by the city marshal in the assessment and collection of taxes. He shall also perform such other duties as the Board may prescribe consistent with the city charter. The marshal and recorder shall each be paid a salary to be fixed by the board, and the office of city treasurer is hereby abolished. Provided however, that this amendment shall not affect any of the powers or duties of the present officers but shall be in force from and after the 1st Monday of May, 1924.

Witness our signatures December 4th, 1923.

S. T. TATUM, Mayor.
E. C. NEELLY, Recorder.
I. O. PEARSON,
JOHN W. VANCE,
T. H. MEEK,
11-7-4t Registrars of Election

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Beautiful Christmas cards at The Sentinel office.

CITY COUNCIL

Meeting, Oct. 1, 1923, Continued.

Report of Marshal and Tax Collector: Total tax collected. $316.25; Commission $9.40; Amount paid to City Treasurer, $306.85.

Report of J. H. Horn, Mayor Pro tem: Fines $20.00.

Mayor's report: Fines $153.90; Costs, $39.10; Total, $193.00. Report of Water and Light Collector.

To charge by Supt. $3785.99; Discount collected, $6.41; Total, $3792.40.

Annual Statement of City Marshal and Tax Collector, October 1, 1922 to September 30, 1923:

General Fund: Ad valorem, $11,810.46; commission, $354.29; amount paid to City Treasurer, $11,456.17.

School ad val., $19,684.47; commission, $590.54; amount paid City Treasurer, $19,093.93.

Ad val Bond Tax, $17,715.57; commission, $531.48; amount paid City Treasurer, $17,184.09.

paid City Treasurer, $3417.54.

Privilege General Fund, $3523.23; commission, $105.69; amount

City Street General Fund, $2720.00; commission, $81.60; amount paid City Treasurer, $2638.40.

Total taxes, collected, $55,456.73; total commissions, $1663.60; Total amount paid City Treasurer, $53,790.13.

Report of D. S. Aymette, City Treasurer: The following amount should be charged with Personal Roll, 1922-23, $3210.00; 25 mills taxes $80.25.

The following amount should be charged with Land Book: $550.00, 25 mills taxes $13.75.

I hereby ask credit for the following amount of erroneous and uncollectible taxes as shown by the City Tax Books: Personal Roll, 1922-23, $4860.00 - 25 mills, $121.50 Land Book 1922-23, amount $12,454.60-25 mills $311.25 taxes. Report of the City of Grenada Funds as of Sept. 29, 1923: General Fund: Balance last month, $2447.56; warrants herewith, $1792.26; balance, $1228-64. Water & Light Fund: Balance last month, $2177.59; warrants herewith, $5339.43; balance, $630.-56.

School Fund: Balance last month, $320.76; warrants herewith, $47.90; balance, $290.71. School Bond Fund: Balance last month, $11,472.-18; warrants herewith, $7,348.56; balance, $4,123.62. Bond Tax Fund: Balance last month, $5,518.74; warrants herewith, $2,464.28; balance, balance, $3,070.52. Report of the Auditing Committee recommended all O. K'd accounts. Salary List: S. T. Tatum $100.00, W. A. McLeod, $40.00, D. S. Aymette $20.83, Cowles Horton $50.00, W. D. Salmon $10.-00, W. P. Ferguson $10.00, J. H. Horn $10.00, W. E. Jackson $10.00, Claud Hall $100.00 J. H. Neelley, $100.00 E. C. Neely $50.00 Crawford Garner $100.00 F. T. Gerard, $10.00 W. R. Schultz $10.00 J. H. Murray $10.00 E. C. Neelly, stamps $2.50, General Fund: J. W. Jucheim $37.85; W. E. Jackson 90c, Grenada Auto Co. $13.93 Grenada Feed Milling Co. $87.00 Will Harrell $2.00 J. S. Kettle $2.35 Water & Light Fund $300..00 Second Class Drug Store, $1.55 Grenada Shoe Hospital $1.50 George Hemphill $2.00 Boots Weathers $2.00 Grenada Sentinel $52.88 American Express Co. $1.68 D. W. Dogan $18.00 U. S. Rubber Co. $625.00 A. M. Jucheim $2.00 W. J. Jennings, Jr. $2.06 Sanitary P. & H. Co. $321.08 W A. McLeod $1.00 Corner Drug Store $1.85 Doak Hdw Co. $65.58 Commerical Pub. Co. $32.75 Fred Nason $2.00 J. B. Keeton $12.95 J. D. Crenshaw $3.00.

Report of City Schools for first month session 1923-24, beginning September 10th, edning October 5th. Pupils enrolled: Boys, 319; girls, 349; total, 666. Days taught, 20, Collected from pay pupils, $124.-25; amount due from County pupils, $242.00.

Due from Fair Ground District, $151.00; amount due from Tie Plant, $256.00; total, $773.25. Colored School Pay Roll, $578.33; White School Pay Roll, $2959.99; total, $3538.32.

Water and Light Accounts Allowed: H. C. West $200.00 Maude West $45.00 Ivan Tribble $100.00, Southern Coal Co. $126.10 Interstate Elec. Co. $10.44 I. C. R. R. $515.75 Doak Hdw. Co. $60.10 Gulf Refining Co. $31.90 Kirkpatrick Coal Co. $732.08 Wynn Supply Co. Cain and King $246.74 Grenada Ford Agency, $24.76 Cabell-Irby Co. $178.37 H. W. Clark $29.92 Love Wagon Co. $121.33 Reed and Duecker $22.16 Grenada Machine Shop $8.50 City Ice and Coal Co. $11.17 Crance and Co. $2.46 J. F. Marlowe and Co. $153.87 U. S. Rubber Co. School Fund Accounts Allowed: Water and Light $22.66 Grenada Sentinel $7.50 Board ordered the payment of all salaries and O. K'd accounts.

Coming on for consideration the petition of W. F. Martin et al asking for an election on the question of forming Supervisors' District Number Four of Grenada County, into a separate road district, under Chapter 150, of Laws of 1910, and Chapters 172 and 177, Laws of 1916, and Chapters 276 and 279, Laws of 1920, and all other acts amendatory thereof, and it appearing to the Board from the report of the committee appointed to investigate said petition, that same contains the names of more than 20% of the qualified electors of said District No. Four, and that the same is otherwise in legal form; it is ordered that said petition be granted and the question of the establishment of a Separate Road District composed of said Supervisors' District No. Four of Grenada County, be submitted to the qualified electors of said district, said election to be held on Friday, December 21st, 1923; and it is further ordered that the Election Commissioners of Grenada County have placed upon the ballots the question of the formation of said Separate Road District, and that they give notice of the holding of said election upon the question of the establishment of said Separate Road district on said day, by publication of notice in the Grenada Sentinel, as required by law, and make their report to this Board showing the result of said election at its next regular meeting in January, 1924.

Ordered further that the Clerk of this Board certify copy of this order to the said Election commissioners of Grenada County.

Ordered this the 3rd day of December, 1923.

State of Mississippi,
County of Grenada.

I, J. B. Keeton, Clerk of the Chancery court in and for said county and state aforesaid, hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order passed by the Board of Supervisors of said county and state, at their regular December, 1923, meeting, as of record in Minute Book "E" on page 591 of the records in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this the 3rd day of December, 1923.

J. B. KEETON, Clerk
By Gertrude Draper, D. C.
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A Quarter of a Century Ago In Grenada.

From Files of The Grenada Sentinel

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Yesterday was the coldest day of the season, the mercury registering 24 degrees in the shade.

Latest news from the Grenada County soldier boys, now at Columbia, Tenn., states that they will be mustered out by December 20.

Mr. T. C. Wood and a number of old settlers, who know whereof they speak, say that the month of November and December of this year, up to this date, have been the coldest months within their experience.

Handsome invitations have been issued for a Grand Christmas Ball, to be given by a number of our prominent young gentlemen at Mullin Hall, Grenada, Friday, December 30. It promises to be a brilliant affair, and many people from a distance are expected.

Our esteemed friend, Mr. George I Ragsdale, a leading merchant and prominent citizen of Hazelhurst was in Grenada Wednesday to attend the Longstreet-Pass marriage. Mr. Ragsdale was reared in Grenada and has many warm friends who were glad to meet him. He seemed to enjoy his short stay very much. He is one of the cleverest and most hospitable gentlemen of our acquaintance.

Mr. Geo. W. Jones' diary, "Reminiscences of an Old Soldier" continues in The Sentinel.

MOHEAD-HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Hall announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Louise, to Mr. Frank M. Mohead, of Carrollton, the wedding to take place in January at the home of the bride in Grenada. No Cards.

Use your calling card plate and have your name engraved on the greeting cards you send to your friends this year. See samples at The Sentinel office.

REPORT OF SALVATION ARMY DRIVE.

The response to the recent appeal of the Salvation Army for the Rescue Home in Birmingham, Ala. was most gratifying indeed. To date $300.00 has been placed in the Bank. The Members of the army who had a part in this campaign here are most grateful to those who gave of their time to do this soliciting, as well as to every one who contributed either money or words of encouragment.

We are authorized to state that this campaign will be made annually here for this Rescue Home just this one call and no Salvationist has the right to collect in this territory for any other work. If extra calls are made it will be either by mistake or fraud, for this territory has been assigned to this particular phase of the Army's work and only once a year will the people be called upon to contribute to this.

—The Committee

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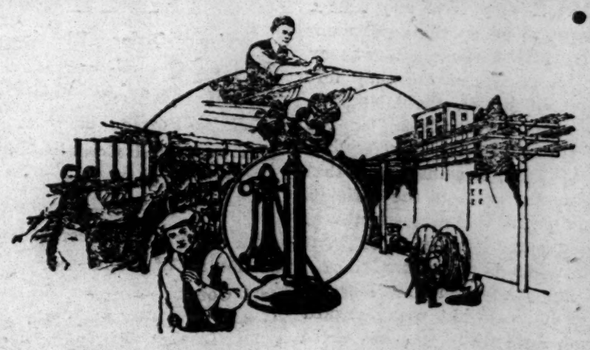

2500 New Bell Telephones In Mississippi In 1923

THE telephone construction programme in Mississippi and throughout the South this year has been the largest ever undertaken by the Bell System.

The investment in Mississippi alone this year will amount to more than $690,000 for new equipment, new telephones, new wire, new switchboards, new central office equipment and new buildings.

Practically all this expenditure was new money secured from investors who have faith in the future growth and development of our State.

Such an investment enabled us to break all previous records and make a net gain of approximately 2,524 new telephone stations in Mississippi this year.

To do this it was necessary to install 8,694 telephones and discontinue 6,170.

There are now more than 48,000 Bell telephones in Mississippi and we must continue building to keep pace with the growing telephone needs of Mississippi and of the South.

W. A. DEALE, Mississippi Manager

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A SURPRISE MARRIAGE

A wedding that came as a distinct surprise occurred Tuesday, Dec. 4, at 7:30 p. m. at the Baptist pastorium on Third Street, when Mr. M. F. Cummings made Miss Adele Brown his bride, Rev. W. E. Farr, pastor of the First Baptist church saying the ceremony.

Mr. Cummings, whose home is in Yazoo City, had been in Grenada only a few weeks and the marriage was the culmination of a brief courtship. It was evidently a case of love at first sight. Since his residence here, he had made a large circle of friends. Mrs. Cummings is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Brown and is a young woman gifted with an exceptionally charming and pleasing personality. She was born and reared in Grenada and has had that training under a splendid mother that admirably fit her to properly fulfill the duties she has assumed.

The couple had been planning the event for several days. They had intended to be married sooner but unforeseen circumstances prevented. However, everything was arranged Tuesday and the final details were completed. Their plans were known only to a few friends who guarded well the secret.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings expected to leave Wednesday for Batesville where Mr. Cummings has accepted a position with a large lumber concern and there they expect to make their future home.

The Sentinel joins in extending congratulations and best wishes.

"AVERY'S PLANTATION FOLLIES," TO BE PRESENTED IN GRENADA.

To be Given Under Auspices of Parent-Teachers Association by Local Cast.

Arrangements have been made whereby Avery's Follies, will be presented in Grenada, December 14, by local talent. According to press comment from some of the larger cities of the South and West, Grenada is promised something new, original, and entirely out of the ordinary and a production seldom undertaken by a local cast.

The Follies will be produced under the personal direction of Burgess and Avery, of New York City, who have had many years experience in the entertaining line, and for the past few years have given their entire time to producing. Burgess & Avery come to Grenada, highly recommended from the East and West Coasts, also from Little Rock, Mobile, Nashville and other Southern cities. They will not only stage the Follies, but will also take leading parts in the production.

The Parent-Teachers Association, feels that it is fortunate in securing the services of Burgess and Avery, and it is hoped that the amusement loving public will show their appreciation of an interest that comes so highly recommended by greeting the performers with packed houses at each performance.

About fifty people will be used in the production, including the very best talent to be found in and around Grenada, and rehearsals will continue until the show is ready to go over big. There are yet a few places in the cast of principals and chorus to be filled, and those that would like to try out for a part will find Messrs. Burgess and Avery at the Planters Hotel.

MARY HUGHES' ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes of Amorel, Ark., are proud parents of a sweet little daughter who arrived in the King's Daughters Hospital here on Sunday. The little lady has been named Mary, for her mother who was before her marriage, Miss Mary Kempton Pleasants of Minter City. This is the second child, the other being a boy, and a cordial welcome is being extended the wee little maiden.

The above, taken from the Greenwood Commonwealth of Dec. 4, will be of interest to the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hughes in Grenada. Mr. Hughes was reared here while Mrs. Hughes has often visited in Grenada.

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 16

WORLD-WIDE MISSIONS

LESSON TEXT—Acts 16:9-15; 28:30, 31; Rom. 15:18-21.

GOLDEN TEXT—"I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth."—Rom. 1:16.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Preaching by a Riverside.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul Crosses the Sea.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Paul's Ambition.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul's Aim and Methods.

The Gospel having broken the confines of the Jewish city and country, the middle wall of partition being abolished, the time came for it to leap across the Aegean sea and begin its conquest of another continent. Christianity thus ceased to be an oriental religion and through the centuries has been mainly occidental.

I. Call to Macedonia (Acts 16:9-11).

1. The Vision (v. 9). Being hemmed in on all sides, a vision was given to Paul of a man of Macedonia pleading for help. This made plain to him the closed doors about him. The Spirit as definitely leads in the closing of some doors as in the opening of others. In finding the divine will we should look both ways. Before there can be any great forward movement there must be a vision. The great achievements of men are the products of visions.

2. The Advance (vv. 10, 11). As soon as the divine way was known they moved forward therein. Visions must be quickly translated into aggressive actions or else they are blotted from our skies. They neither questioned the wisdom of God nor delayed action. This is characteristic of all of God's true servants. With a straight course Paul moved out of his own country to the strategic center of a new continent.

II. The First Convert in Europe (Acts 16:12-15).

The missionaries first went to Philippi and spent several days in studying conditions there. The Jewish element in this city was comparatively insignificant, so much so that they could not have a synagogue. Therefore, the devout people were accustomed to worship by the riverside. To this humble gathering Paul came and preached to the women assembled there. A certain woman from Thyatira, a proselyte, believed his message and was baptized. The work of the Lord thus had a very humble beginning, but it was destined to transform all Europe and the world. The steps in Lydia's conversion are worthy of note for they are typical.

1. Attendance at the Place of Worship (v. 13). Usually those whom God is calling are found at the place of prayer, Lydia was seeking the heavenly light. God sends many an inquirer to the prayer meeting.

2. Listening to the Preaching of the Word of God (vv. 13, 14). It is highly important that at every prayer meeting the Word of God shall be spoken, so that the inquirer after God may find the light.

3. Her Heart Was Opened by the Lord (v. 14). Only the Lord can convert a soul. It is our business to preach the Word of God and it is God's business to open the heart of the inquirer. No one is ever converted against his will.

4. She Was Baptized (v. 15). Everyone whose heart the Lord has opened desires to confess Him in baptism.

5. Her Household Believed Also (v. 15). This was as it should be. Real conversion cannot be concealed.

6. Practiced Hospitality (v. 15). Those who have experienced God's saving grace are at once disposed to have part in His work by rendering aid to His ministers.

III. Paul Preaching in Rome (Acts 28:30, 31).

Paul continued his labors in widening his testimony to the world amongst thrilling experiences. In spite of beatings, shipwrecks and imprisonments, we find him near the close of his life in the imperial capitol city. Though a prisoner he continues to preach the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. In the providence of God, he had liberty to preach the Gospel to all who came to him.

IV. Paul's Aim in Preaching the Gospel Was World-Wide (Rom. 15:16-21).

His heart's transcendent desire was to so preach the Gospel that the Gentiles might become obedient to the faith. In order that this might be accomplished he pushed out into unexplored regions, so that the light of the Gospel might shine into the darkness of the heathen world. May we follow his example, for there is much work to be done.

Prayer.

Bring your plans, your purposes to God's throne. Test them by praying about them. Do nothing large or new—nothing small nor old, either—for that matter—till you have asked there, in the silence of the secret place, "Lord, what wouldest Thou have me to do?"—Alexander Maclaren.

Worry Is Not Faith.

Worry is not faith. It is doubting God, who has promised to supply all our need in Christ Jesus.—Record of Christian Work.

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LESSON FOR DECEMBER 9

THE OUTREACH OF THE EARLY CHURCH

LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:4-8; 14-17; 25.

GOLDEN TEXT—"Ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."—Acts 1:8.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Philip Telling About Jesus.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Gospel Spreads to Samaria.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Gospel Spreads Through Persecution.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Expanding Missionary Vision and Activity.

I. The Gospel Spreads to Samaria (Acts 8:4-8; 14-17; 25).

1. Philip Preaching the Gospel in Samaria (vv. 4-8). Following the stoning of Stephen the enemies of the Lord were more active than ever in their efforts to stamp out the new faith. With Saul as their leader they dragged from their homes and imprisoned those who confessed Christ, but the Devil overreached himself in this, for this scattered the believers everywhere, and they preached the Gospel as they went. The time had now come for the witness-bearing to extend beyond Jerusalem and Judea as the Lord had commanded. The Lord permitted the persecution so as to scatter them.

2. Peter and John Visit Samaria (vv. 14-17; 25). When the Apostles heard of Philip's work in Samaria they sent two of their best men to encourage it. These men had discernment to know that the spirit had not yet fallen upon the believers, so they laid hands upon them and the Spirit was given them. These Samaritans were really converted, regenerated, but had not yet been filled with the Spirit. In this they were like many church members today without the Spirit's gift.

3. Philip Preaching to the Ethiopian Eunuch (Acts 8:30-40). In the conversion of the eunuch we see the Lord's work still broadening. The Gospel was first preached to the Samaritans who were nationally on the borderland between the Jews and the Gentiles. This Ethiopian was in all probability a Gentile, a proselyte to the Jewish faith. In his conversion we see the work reaching afar, even on its way to the ends of the earth. By divine direction Philip left his great work in Samaria and was directed to the eunuch. The Spirit of God directed him to go and join himself to the chariot of the Ethiopian. The coming together of these two men in the desert was providential. (1) The eunuch's employment on the way. He was reading the Word of God. (2) The absolute need of a preacher. The eunuch was reading the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah, one of the clearest testimonies of the Messiah in the Old Testament, yet was unable to understand it. The one thing needed in the salvation of men is for the saved man to bring the message to the unsaved. (3) The message of Philip was Jesus. He began at the Scriptures and preached Jesus. The central theme of the preacher's message should be Jesus. (4) The eunuch baptized. As a consequence of Philip's preaching the eunuch proposed baptism. Men who accept the message of salvation in Christ naturally demand baptism.

II. The Conversion of Saul (Acts 9:1-30).

The great apostle of the Gentiles is now laid hold of by the Lord Jesus and made a flaming evangel of the Cross to the whole world. We thus see the Lord making ready for the widest dissemination of the Gospel of His grace.

III. The Gospel Spreads to Asia Minor (Acts 9:31-15:35).

1. Peter at Joppa (Acts 9:32-43). On his tour of evangelizing Peter came down to Joppa and lodged with Simon, a tanner. This shows the widening of his sympathy in that a Jew was willing to lodge with one of such an occupation.

2. The Conversion of Cornelius (Acts 10). In the conversion of this Gentile and the coming of the Spirit upon him, the middle wall of partition between Jew and Gentile was broken down. The way was now open for the further outreach of the Gospel.

3. Paul's First Missionary Journey (Acts 13, 14). The Spirit of God now came upon the church for the definite purpose of preaching the Gospel to the whole world. Paul and Barnabas with John Mark went out preaching the Gospel through the provinces of Asia Minor.

4. The Conditions of Gentile Salvation Settled (Acts 15:1-35). Before the Gospel could be preached to the whole world the dispute in the church over the condition of Gentile salvation had to be settled, so a council was held at Jerusalem in which these conditions were clearly settled.

In the Light of the Bible.

Dr. A. C. Dixon is quoted as having said: "We have been studying the Bible in the light of modern scholarship. The time has come for us to study modern scholarship in the light of the Bible." Quite a correct observation!—Southern Methodist.

In Christ's Society.

"Ten minutes spent in Christ's society every day, aye, two minutes, if it be face to face and heart to heart, will make the whole day different.—Heidelberg Teacher.

EDUCATION WEEK SWEPT NATION.

The observance of American Educaiton Week this year surpassed all previous years in effectiveness, according to an announcement of the Department of the Interior through the Bureau of Education. The movement swept the entire Nation, from the largest centers of population to the most remote villages and hamlets.

Churches, clubs, newspapers, theaters, and other organizations joined in with the schools in a way they have not cooperated before and made the week as actual intensified campaign for better knowledge about schools. Some States put on a State-wide program, and most of the cities had their own plans, though all of these patterned their observance upon the national program.

President Coolidge's proclamation was printed in whole or part in practically every newspaper in the country and was given much prominence outside the daily press. The press responded with special educational editions, editorials, and information in their columns based largely upon the facts sent out by the Bureau of Education.

More than a million sermons and addresses were delivered upon the subject of education during the week. The response of the churches was much greater than has been the case in previous years. Clubs of all kinds, particularly noon-day luncheon clubs, Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, and others, were notably active in the campaign. A new feature of the week's observance this year was the active participation of the motion picture theaters of the country who were liberal in permitting information about education on their screens.

It is too early yet to estimate the definite accomplishments of the week in the way of bond issues, new schools, and new projects originating from or carried through by the drive, but it is certain that the concrete results will surpass anything in a similar period of time in the history of education in America.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Sentinel is authorized to make the following announcements, subject to the Democratic primaries in February:

For Mayor W. J. Jennings, Sr.

For City Marshal: C. W. Thompson
Crawford Garner
W. A. McLeod

TAKING IT FOR GRANTED

"Mississippians are noted for the lively interest they display in their state political affairs. The vote cast in the state Democratic primaries there last summer totaled 250,000 in round numbers, a gratifyingly high percentage of the qualified electorate turning out at the polls. But that was only a nominating primary; the candidates chosen had to be elected. The state election was held on November 6—when, according to reports from Jackson, only about 30,000 votes were polled or something like 12 per cent of the total polled in the primaries.

"The Democratic candidates were unopposed and the election therefore was considered a mere formality by most voters. Now, however, word comes that a special election must be held in one of the 'beats' or districts of Carroll county, to select a justice of the peace. A candidate for the office had been duly nominated in the primaries, but it appears that 'not a single vote was cast in the beat in the general election, voters taking it for granted that since there was no opposition it would not be necessary for them to vote.'

"What happened in this single Mississippi 'beat' suggests the possibility of taking too much for granted, even in a one-party state. Mississippi is very strongly Democratic and the fractional vote cast on November 6 last sufficed to elect the party's state ticket. But suppose the Republican minority, noting the Democratic habit of turning out only a 'corporal's guard,' so to speak, at the polls on general election day, should sometime quietly mobilize its voting strength and cast it solid and entire for a slate of its own making? The thing is not probable, but even the remote possibility thereof indicates the unwisdom of 'taking too much for granted' even in a one-sided election in a one-party state."

The above from the editorial columns of the New Orleans Times-Picayune should bring forcibly to the minds of all good citizens the obligation they owe to their party, to their state and to themselves to cast their ballot at every election. The right of suffrage should be regarded as a privilege that one should use at every opportunity.

We do not believe, however, that there is any immediate danger of the Republicans gaining control in Mississippi for the newspapers of the State would see that the Democratic voters came out in force as soon as it was announced that a Republican ticket was in the field.

"GOVERNMENT, GREATEST INDUSTRY"

Our greatest industry, says the Kansas City Times, is not the steel industry, the farm industry, the automobile industry nor the motion picture industry; our greatest industry is government! "One-twelfth of the working population of the United States is engaged in the business of government." For every twelve persons, one is working at "government." Every American works fifty days in the year to support this great host. Fifteen per cent of every American dollar is sliced off to pay them.

Every Congress sees scores of attempts to increase this Army of the Public Pay Roll. Even babies cannot be born now without representatives of the government near by. If another bill passes, children cannot learn their Three R's without representatives of the Federal Government near by to watch them. We are establishing with dangerous rapidity a class whose interests are so intimately connected with the continuance of things as they are, that the people will be helpless. Already this Government Class has completely lost the idea of being servants of the people; they do not exercise service toward us, they exercise control over us. The situation is so bad, and promises to grow so much worse, that someone must risk the reputation of being a calamity howler in order to call attention to it.

"Too much government" always means not enough good government.—Dearborn Independent.

FUNERAL FLOWERS

A prominent church official ten years ago started an international movement to abolish the sending of flowers to funerals. He said, "Take the roses and put them, not on a coffin, but in the lapel of the coat of the laboring man on his way to work."

The gentleman did not succeed in abolishing a custom that is essentially beautiful. A love for flowers is a sign of refinement, native acquired. A flower is a symbol of joy. In its living texture Nature concentrates all the glow of sunlight and the sparkle of the stars. There is an appealing tenderness in their friendly faces, that has made them seem appropriate gifts to bereaved friends.

But sometimes the custom of sending flowers to funerals is so overdone as to constitute a heavy tax on families that can ill afford it, for it has come to the point where people frequently are called stingy for not doing it.

The sentiment of love and sympathy is often more eloquently expressed in the little bunch of blossoms plucked by a lady from her garden than it is in the blanket of roses sent by the fraternity to which the deceased may have belonged. And those who grieve for their dead know this to be true.

CHRISTMAS MAIL

Postmaster General Harry New has sent out the usual announcement regarding the mailing of Christmas packages. The suggestions, although old, are worth your consideration.

The department suggests, nay, it pleads, that you

PACK CAREFULLY
WRAP CAREFULLY
ADDRESS CLEARLY
PREPAY FULLY
MAIL EARLY

These are sound, sensible suggestions. If everybody followed them, the facilities of the Grenada postoffice will be adequate.

The alarm clock is a failure unless it is backed up by considerable human resolutions.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS

In former years, the government of municipalities was considered to be largely a failure in this country, particularly in the bigger cities. James Bryce, author of "The American Commonwealth," wrote: "There is no denying thot the government of citiesis the one conspicuous failure of the United States." But there has been a great revival of civic sentiment since those words were written.

Dr. Munro, professor of municipal government at Harvard university, now writes: "America is now furnishing the world with its best laboratory of municipal experimentation. Europe has as much to learn from us in this branch of popular government, as we have to learn from Europe."

When municipal governments fall down, it is usually because of the inattention of the voters, or because of the tendency to run matters on a political basis that should be handled with purely business methods.

HOW TO GET AHEAD.

Better write to the United States Government Savings System, Washington, D. C., and get the pamphlet, "How Other People get Ahead." Folks who are not much used to business would gain special help from this booklet.

The government gives 12 danger signs suggesting how to avoid bad investments. It tells people to "read advertising." The advertising columns of The Sentinel will help people make thrifty purchases.

One good piece of advice is "Keep track of all disbursements." In former days the majority of people kept cash accounts. How many do so now? It is a first step toward thrift. Keep an account faithfully, classify the expenditures each month and then at the end of a year you can tell if you are spending more than a normal amount in any special way.

IT'S IN THE AIR.

This weather is hard on chronic grouches. Oh, no, not the fact of the sunshine, or even the gentle rain, both of which we are just discovering, really have much to recommend them. It's the time of year, you know—the short days and the long nights. It's the mysterious sly whispers, the conversations that stop so abruptly when certain persons appear.

It's the laughter we hear, now more than ever, on the streets, in the living room, at the bench, the desk, the barnyard. It's the wistful look kids have, the unsuccessful attempts they make to read the countenance of their parents. What scowling old grump can escape it!

You may have the rheumatism, the cotton may still be on your hands with no market, Uncle Henry may have died and left you not a penny, but somehow about this time of year you can't help being happy.

The entire nation becomes infected with this curious seasonal malady. And they do say it's just as prevalent in foreign countries, too. For a fellow to escape it, he would have to go way out on the prairie or up in the mountains, dig his grave and then lie in it. And then the chances are someone would come along and wish him the compliments of the season.

So that's no use, old bears, cross patches, frowners and mean folk. You've just got to smile from now on until Christmas. It's in the air. Merry Christmas! Say it with joy. Maybe a little of the gladness will stick in your soul through the year.

CHRISTMAS IN THE COUNTRY.

Christmas in the farm homes and in the rural schools! What memories it brings thousands of men and women in crowded cities as well as in the open country. The spirit of making others happy is abroad in the land. At this happy time when our main objective is to add to the joy of the Christmas season for our boys and girls may we not also take stock of the kind of permanent service we are giving our children in providing for their future welfare and happiness, especially for their education? Houses and lands, money and jewels may be of temporary endurance. Good health, a trained mind, and a sound, moral inheritance are treasures store where moth can not enter nor rust destroy. The best Christmas gift any community can give its children is an efficient school, one which assures in so far as it is humanly possible the spiritual and intellectual training that prepares them for the "good life."

School trustees and parents, why not, when you go to a Christmas program at your schoolhouse, look about you carefully, see that the school building is sanitary, comfortable and convenient for its purpose? Desks must be occupied five hours a day by school children; eyes must be used day after day; sanitary conveniences should be adequate. If these things are not satisfactory the children need a new school building for a Christmas present. The Christmas vacation is a good time to make necessary repairs, to remodel unsuitable buildings, or to arouse sentiment for a new one.

THE SIXTY-EIGHTH CONGRESS

For the next year and four months, the 68th congress seems likely to be in session most of the time. Party lines are somewhat loosely drawn in this body of men, and no one group can control it. It will not be ruled by any so-called macine.

While the people do not like a machine dominated congress, they also do not like one that spends its time in futile discussion. They demand to have things done. If the various groups all insist fiercely on their own policies and will not compromise, the results achieved by this congress will not be large.

The difficulties that confront this congress grow to a large extent out of the bigness of our country, the diverse views entertained by different sections and elements, the tendency in all sections just to see their own needs and difficulties. The congressmen to a large extent represent this limited point of view.

There will be a lot of unnecessary talk in this congress. Many speeches will be heard mostly by empty seats. If the congressmen want to make a favorable impression, they will cut out a lot of their stump speeches, spend less time securing jobs and other favors for constituents, and make more efforts to study the conditions of the country.

A congressman needs to talk with men from all over the country, and know business and social conditions everywhere, both from reading and personal investigation, so that when he acts, his votes will be based on broad intelligence rather than on superficial information.

The people ask their representatives to be patriots first and party men second. If they will cut out political wire pulling and making political capital, and try to serve their country, the public will back them up.

It is proving as difficult to collect reparations from the Germans as from the tenants whose children mark up the wall paper.

Formerly the emphasis used to be laid on the evils of laziness, but now people are more afraid of the dangers of overwork.

Complaint is made of too much pussyfooting, but no complaint of that kind is made when the boys of Grenada come in wearing their winter boots.

The 'phone is not so well developed in Europe as here, but they have a great deal of phoney money.

People who are making purses for the German trade must have to build them the size of a dry goods box now to hold their paper marks.

Formerly the students used to study Homer the Greek poet, now they study how to knock the homers you hit on the ball grounds.

President Coolidge may try to set the fashion of walking, but it will have to be more expensive to make it a popular sport.

If people walk, they are likely to get run over by automobiles and if they don't walk, they may get sick from indigestion.

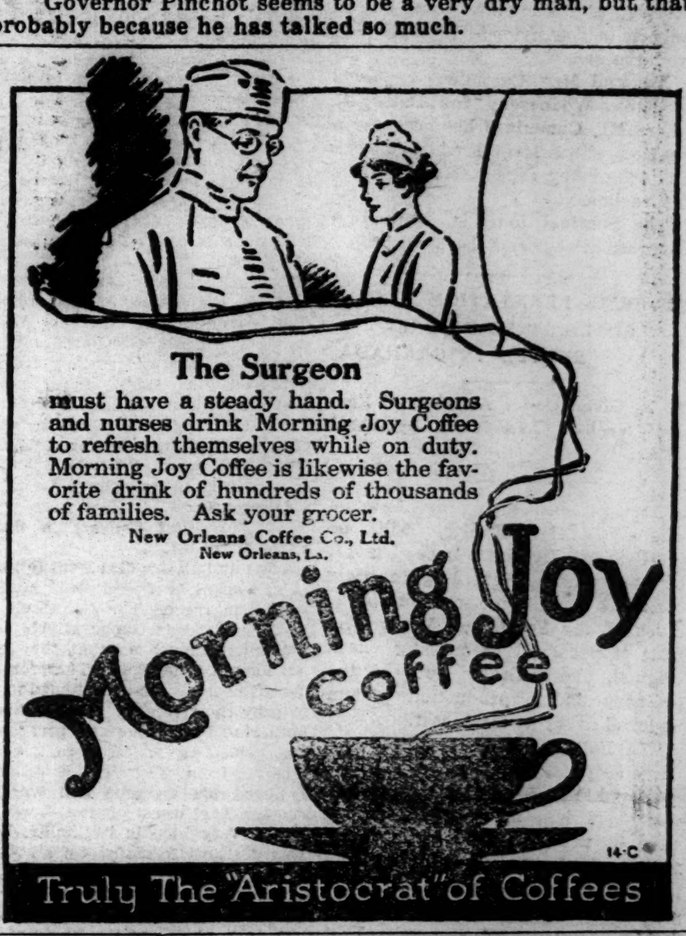
May be all right for the college students to have automobiles, but they should not run over the professors with them.

Complained that this is a cold world. The people who get cold feet find it so anyway.

The person who has regular employment usually has no time to get into mischief.

Because the boys went over the top during the war, they do not see why they should go under now.

Governor Pinchot seems to be a very dry man, but that is probably because he has talked so much.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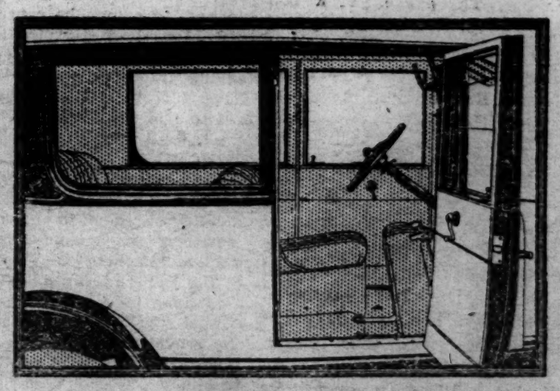

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Local, Social and Personal

Miss Louise Perry to Be Society Editor.

It is with a great deal of pleasure that The Sentinel is announcing this week that the Local, Social and Personal column will in future be edited by Miss Louise Perry, the very gracious, talented and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Perry. Miss Perry has very kindly consented to assist The Sentinel in gathering and writing the social and personal items and this paper considers itself extremely fortunate in securing her aid. Miss Perry has taken up her new duties with all earnestness and gives promise of providing Sentinel readers with a bigger and better local page. Those who know any news of any kind such as persons arriving or leaving town, parties, receptions, weddings, births, etc., would confer a great favor on both The Sentinel and Miss Perry by calling her over the phone, telephone number 179, and apprising her of such items. Your cooperation in making this a better page will be greatly appreciated.

Miss Bettie White Middleton was the guest of friends in Grenada for a short while last week. Miss Middleton is teaching school at Durant and her mother is making her home there also. On the occasion of their visits to Grenada, both mother and daughter are gladly welcomed.

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Dr. J. R. Countiss spent last Sunday in Leland where he went to conduct the ceremonies incident to the laying of the cornerstone for the new Methodist Church Sunday afternoon.

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Mrs. Anna Ellis Dexter, voice teacher at Grenada College, is in a Memphis hospital, having undergone a minor operation. The Sentinel is glad to be able to say that she is recovering rapidly and will soon be able to return to her duties.

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Eugene Countiss, who has been confined to his bed for several weeks with a dislocated hip, left Friday for Memphis to have the plaster cast removed . His many friends will be delighted to see him up and about again which ought to be very soon.

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Miss Elizabeth Jones entertained on Wednesday afternoon for Miss Lillian Easter whose engagement to Mr. E. L. Taliaferro of Enid has been announced. The place cards were very unique and original bearing a verse from the hostess'own pen. A host of friends enjoyed a pleasant afternoon of bridge after which a delectable salad course was served.

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Mrs. T. H. Harper, who is pleasantly remembered by many in Grenada, has returned to her home in McComb City after a short visit in Grenada as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Alexander and family in their home on College Avenue.

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Mrs. Thomas Purser, who had been the guest for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Perry and family, left Saturday for her home in McComb City. Mrs. Purser has a host of friends in Grenada who are always glad to welcome her.

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Miss Isabel Sternberger returned Sunday from Canton where she enjoyed a delightful visit with friends.

Mrs. T. H. Meek was a visitor Tuesday afternoon of this week in Greenwood.

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There was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Greer at their home in Denver, Colorado on Monday, November 19th, a fine baby boy. Mrs. Greer will be remembered as Miss Mary Meek Baker and this announcement will be of interest to the many friends of this fine young woman here.

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Miss Meda McCleskey of Ruleville, Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Gunn of Como and A. B. Campbell of Jackson were the Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. White in their lovely home on south Line Street. All of the above-mentioned visitors have at one time been connected with Grenada City Schools and all of them have many warm personal friends here who always extend them a hearty welcome on the occasion of their visits to the town.

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Miss Mary Gowdy spent the past week-end with homefolks at Batesville.

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Pro. John Rundle left Thursday to attend the high school conference in session at Jackson.

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Mrs. John R. Rayburn and babies left Saturday for their home in Hattiesburg after a pleasant visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rayburn.

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Campbell McLean left Wednesday for Charleston to transact business before the circuit court.

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Miss Elizabeth Provine, who holds a position with the Mississippi School Supply Co., in Jackson, spent last Sunday with her mother, Mrs. C. C. Provine, just south of town.

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Mrs. Lewis Jones arrived last Thursday at noon from her home in Memphis to spend a short while visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thomas.

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Mrs. Paul Sisk enjoyed recently the pleasure of a visit from her mother, Mrs. Ramey, whose home is in Oxford.

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Mrs. B. C.Duncan spent Thanksgiving in Greenwood with her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McBride, and their two children.

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Miss Carrie Malone, one of the charming members of the high school faculty, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting friends in Birmingham.

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John P. Pressgrove, A. Roy Burt, Fred R. Lickfold, Jr., and George Kearns motored to Greenwood last Sunday to spend the day with friends.

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Miss Adelle Hoffa returned last Sunday afternoon to Memphis after spending a few days in Grenada with her brother, W. B. Hoffa, and family.

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Miss Mary Hamilton who is teaching at Oakland spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Grenada with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Hamilton, and family.

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Dr. A. G. Hudson of Buntyn, Tenn. spent a short while in Grenada this week on business. Dr. Hudson was extended a cordial welcome by his numerous friends and acquaintances here.

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Jess Ray arrived last Wednesday from Chicago to be here to take part in "Avery's Plantation Follies" which is to be staged under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers Association. Mr. Ray is a violinist of exceptional ability and his performance will be one that will be certain to please the most critical.

Mrs. W. M. Ames spent a few days the first of this week in Memphis.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thomas on Main Street was made glad during the Thanksgiving holidays by the presence of the two sons of the house, L. T. and W. J. Thomas, with their charming wives. The former's home is in Cruger and the latter lives in Memphis.

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Miss Jerome Sage, of the music department of Grenada College, spent the Thanksgiving period with friends in Starkville.

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Miss Elise McLeod was the guest a few days ago of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burt, in Memphis.

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Mrs. H. H. Crow arrived Sunday from her home in Memphis to spend a short while in Grenada visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Norwood.

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Miss Bertha Joiner who is teaching this year at Sumner spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home with Mrs. Kate Payne on College Street.

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Miss Mary Crowder returned Sunday to Kosciusko where she is teaching school, after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crowder, on Fourth St.

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The Adult Department of the First Baptist Church entertained the officers and teachers of the Sunday School on Friday night, Nov. 30. The basement of the church was artistically decorated with evergreens and ferns. Several members of the department made very interesting talks on organized class work. Mrs. Anna Ellis Dexter and the class quartet furnished the music for the occasion. After a delightful social hour, a delicious salad course was served.

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Miss Allean Calhoun, the very capable head of the primary department in the Grenada City Schools, spent the Thanksgiving holidays visiting friends and relatives in Clarksdale.

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Miss Charles Hester returned Sunday from Lexington where she had been for a short while the guest of friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Borden returned Sunday to their home in Chicago after a short stay at their Glenwild Plantation home.

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Miss Mabel Suber was the guest of friends in Selma, Alabama during the Thanksgiving holidays.

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S. D. Rayburn returned home Monday afternoon from Calhoun City where he had been on business.

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J. B. Perry left Wednesday at noon for a brief business trip to New Orleans, La.

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Mrs. A. J. Austin, of Chicago who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cowles Horton, in Grenada, left Wednesday at noon for Houston, Texas, where she will spend several weeks visiting Mrs. Russell Scott. Mrs. Scott will be perhaps better remembered in Grenada as Miss Adelaide Hicks, who has often been the guest of Mrs. Horton. Mrs. Austin expects to return to Grenada in time to spend Christmas here.

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L. B. Jones, a prominent attorney of Jackson, Miss., was the guest for one day the first of the week of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Newsom and family in Grenada.

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Morris Bull returned home Sunday from Little Rock, Ark. where he had been since Wednesday visiting his brother, Evans Bull, and family.

10% and 15% discount on all hats at Betty Cole Shop.

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Miss Helene Wright returned home Wednesday at noon after two enjoyable weeks' visit with friends in Memphis.

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Wagner Williams, who holds a position with a large cotton firm in Memphis, came down to spend last Sunday in Grenada with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van W. Williams, and family on Union Street.

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Last Thursday was truly a great Thanksgiving Day in the Lawrence home. The head of the house, O. F. Lawrence, returned that day from a Memphis hospital where he had been for more than six weeks; Ellett Lawrence and his wife and Miss Bernice Lawrence were here from Greenwood, Miss Heard Lawrence came from Jackson and the whole darn family was here except Edgar, who was off courting a young lady up in Kentucky.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brannon, of Holly Springs, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mrs. Brannon's homefolks in the Graysport community.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brown and their attractive little daughter, Margaret, left last Saturday for their old home in New Orleans. Mrs. Brown had been here for some time with her sister, Mrs. Betty Cole, and her many friends here regret her departure.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Horn and family was gladdened during the Thanksgiving season by the presence of the two daughters of the house who are away teaching school. Miss Vera Horn was here from Aberdeen and Miss Thelma Horn came up from Canton.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Mabry left the first of this week for their new home at Dublin, near Clarksdale, where Mr. Mabry will farm. Their many friends here wish them the greatest success.

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Miss Lena Elma McElwrath came home last week-end from Ruleville, where she is teaching school, to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. McElwrath, and family on South Street.

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William Peters came down from Memphis to spend the Thanksgiving holidays in Grenada with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Peters.

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MR AND MRS. EMMEL GOLDEN'S SADDENED VISIT

Mr. Emmel Golden left last night for Grenada to join his young wife who was summoned home by the illness and death of her beloved grandmother, Mrs. L. C. Knox, who will be laid to rest today. Only one week since, Mrs. Golden's father, Mr. F. M. Lewis, was called to his heavenly home. So it is that this family is passing through a double bereavement in which they have the sympathy of many friends.—Jack-Clarion Ledger.

CARD OF THANKS

Our grief over the loss of our dear grandmother, following so closely upon our other great sorrow, has been made easier to bear on account of the kindness and loving sympathy of devoted friends. Our hearts are entirely too full to express to you, even in a small measure, our appreciation but we are deeply grateful for every word and every sympathetic act. We pray that God, in His wisdom, will reward each of you.

EDWIN B. LEWIS
NANNIE C. LEWIS
MRS. EMMEL GOLDEN
BARCLAY LEWIS, JR.

Mrs. Keley Walker of Wesson, Miss., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. P. Ferguson, at her lovely home on Second Street.

Louie Friedman left the first of this week for the eastern markets to make purchases of additional holiday goods for his store in Grenada.

Two Big Pictures Next Week at

Grenada Opera House

Gloria Swanson in
"BLUEBEARD'S 8th WIFE"

Tues.-Wed., Dec. 11-12

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THE BIG FIGHT IN "THE SPOILERS"

By Jim Tully

(Former prize fighter and novelist, author of "Emmett Lawler," gives description of the great fight in Goldwyn's Jesse D. Hampton production of Rex Beach's Alaskan novel, "The Spoilers," coming to the Grenada Opera House Thursday and Friday, Dec. 13-14th.

There was much excitement at the Goldwyn studio. They were filming the screen battle of the century.

It was an Alaska setting. The atmosphere was charged with a tensity only found in elemental places. The spirit of the story permeated the souls of the players. Milton Sills, the hero, waked about, his shoulder muscles bulging in a formidable mass. His face was drawn, and heavy lines ran in all directions from the corners of his eyes. It was the look of a fighter on the eve of an important battle, after long weeks of training. I became interested at once.

The cameras were being made ready, Noah Beery, the villain, sat in a corner of the room with tense drawn face. He looked the figure of a man strong enough to defy the elements.

Then tersely from Lambert Hillyer, director, "Ready! Camera! Go!"

They were at each other at once. Their powerful bodies grappled and swayed backward and forward under the strain. Beery worked himself loose and shot an overhand right through the air. It missed the swift-moving Sills, who dodged and rushed forward, his muscular arms swinging like flails.

To escape from the storm of blows, Beery climbed upon a book case and then jumped down upon his antagonist. Both men fell to the floor in a writhing welter of muscle. They rose, clinging bloodily to each other. Wrenching himself loose, Sills then picked up the two-hundred-pound Beery and threw him across a five-foot table as a strong farmer would throw a sack of grain. Before Sills could reach him, Beery was on his feet again and was rushing viciously toward the younger man. The impact was terrible. They traded punches for a moment, when Sills suddenly turned and picked up an office chair and crashed it over Beery's head. He stopped dead in his tracks. His eyes rolled for a second, his muscles relaxed, and then he whirled into battle again like an immense black eagle on a red cloud of blood.

They struggled across the room and crashed into a partition which showered them with glass. They wrestled in it, then rose, faces trickling with blood, jaws hanging low, breasts heaving, shirts torn from their backs, and mumbling incoherently with lacerated lips. They crouched low, and criss-crossed with terrific rights and lefts, trading blow for blow until punch-drunk from the brain-jarring monotony of them. The tick of the camera could not be heard. One was not conscious that a picture was being made. It was more like witnessing a battle between blood-mad giants in a forest when all around is still.

Suddenly Sills loosed his grip. His big fist shot out—a skin-torn and blood-streaked mallet of pain. It caught Beery square on the mouth. The blood spurted. He shook his mane of black hair, and crouched low, and rushed. Sills held his ground at a fearful price.

The fighters staggered toward each other. Beery smashed through Sills' guard. Two blows crossed and landed. Sills was knocked back against the stove, while Beery fell against an iron safe.

A gun had been laid on the top of the safe. Berry turned to reach for it, and succeeded. Sills saw the movement, and his face took on the expression of a man who gazes at death in daylight. He leaped tigerishly across the room and grappled with Beery. His boa constrictor arm slowly encircled Beery's waist. It was the dreaded hammer-lock known to wrestlers—the breaker of bodies and hearts.

There followed a deadly quiet moment as they grappled for mastery. Their muscles swelled and quivered. Their eyes bulged. Sills great arm held Beery's waist until it was no larger than a slender woman's.

It was if in an iron vise. Beery screamed and sank—a crumpled heap of red and white bone and muscle on the riddled debris floor.

The camera clicked, fantastic and far-away, like the ticking of a clock in a tomb.

Then Sills, in maniacal fury, yelled, "I broke him—I broke him—the traitor—with my two hands!" Beery, the lion-hearted and defeated, did not hear.

The director smiled wearily and said, "Thank God." The big fight was over.

MRS. NANNIE WHITAKER DIES.

Mrs. Nannie Whitaker died Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 4, at 6 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. E. Jackson, in Grenada after an illness of perhaps six months. Her remains were taken Wednesday morning to Holly Springs where interment was had that afternoon.

Mrs. Whitaker was 73 years of age. She had been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Jackson since the death of her husband little more than a year ago. She had endeared herself to all who had come to know her and her death is a source of grief to many outside of this home where her absence will be most keenly felt. Mrs. Whitaker had been a member of the Methodist Church since early in life and she was true and loyal to its teachings. She was a sincere, devout Christian and endeavored to live so that her character might be safely emulated by those with whom she came in contact. Hers was a sweet and lovely disposition and she sought ever to make life pleasanter for those around her.

Besides Mrs. Jackson, she is survived by one other daughter, Mrs. Sam Keel, of Holly Springs, and two sons, Henry Whitaker of Holly Springs, and Walter Whitaker whose home is in Tennesse and other relatives to mourn her loss. To all of them The Sentinel extends sincerest sympathy.

TALIAFERRO-EASTER

Mr. and Mrs. Avery Easter announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lillian, to Mr. Edwin Loring Taliaferro, of Enid, Mississippi, the wedding to take place at the home of the bride at an early date. No cards.

SWAYZE-JOHNSON

Mr. James Edmond Johnson announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Lena Agnes, to Mr. Martin Walton Swayze, of Yazoo City, Mississippi, the wedding to take place on December 21 at Corinth, Mississippi.

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Illinois Central System Shows How Railroads Must Spend Money to Save Money

If the railroads are ever to be able to reduce rates without rendering inadequate service to the public, they must be able to raise capital in large sums to keep themselves provided with the most modern facilities to enable them to reduce the cost of operation. If the country is to have cheaper rail transportation, it must first have prosperous railroads. The railroads must spend money in order to save money. The principal source from which they can obtain money for enlargements and improvements is the investing public. Railway earnings, therefore, must be set and kept at a rate sufficient to encourage investment in railway securities on a large scale.

Take the Illinois Central System, for example. Our freight business, as measured by the number of tons carried one mile, was 97 per cent greater in 1922 than in 1910. This 97 per cent increase in ton miles was performed with an increase of only 5 per cent in the number of freight train miles.

Longer and heavier trains were run. If the average freight train load had been in 1922 what it was in 1910, an increase in freight train miles of 94 per cent, instead of only 5 per cent, would have been required to handle our freight traffic of 1922. This would have meant that the direct costs of freight train operation (wages, fuel, lubricants and other supplies) would have been $21,341,652 greater in 1922 than they actually were.

This substantial saving in the cost of producing our freight service was effected by well-planned expenditures for improvements and extensions to our facilities. Grades were reduced, so that greater tonnage could be handled in a train; old locomotive were replaced by those having greater tractive power; terminal facilities were enlarged; second main track and, in some instances, third main track were added; new yard tracks and new side tracks were laid; modern signals were installed; other improvements were made. Since 1910 the Illinois Central System has expended $225,000,000 in this kind of work.

Efficient and up-to-date facilities must constantly be provided by the railroads to take care of the constantly increasing business resulting from the growth and developments of the country. We must not allow the progress of our country to be limited by the lack of transportation facilities. At the same time, the factor of rates must be considered. The railroads must continue to invest heavily inthe best cost-reducing facilities so that they may be enabled to reduce expenses and thus to meet the requirements for the lowest possible rates without impairing their ability to render adequate service.

While our world trade is not a controlling factor in our prosperity, it is of great importance. If we are to compete successfully with other countries in world trade we must do not only large export business but also an extensive import business. We cannot expect other countries to take our products unless we take theirs.

We should bear in mind that ours is a country of great distances. The extent of our land areas remote from the seaboard is such as necessarily to involve very much longer land hauls than exist in any other country in the world. This is another strong reason why we must take advantage of every opportunity that exists to provide transportation at the lowest possible rates. Our railroads, if they have the necessary public support, stand ready to install the modern facilities which will make it possible to lower rates. This means that they must be freed from threats of premature rate reductions or other unconstructive treatment. Upon this kind of foundation must be based any reasonable hope for lower railway rates.

Constructive criticism and suggestions are invited.

C. H. MARKHAM,
President, Illinois Central System

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Louisville, Miss., June 26, 1922

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COTTON STATISTICS

New York, November 27, 1923.

Editor Sentinel:

We hand you herewith our final report for the season 1923-1924, which is an estimate as to the probable yield of lint cotton in bales, LINTERS EXCLUDED; the average grade of the crop, lint yield per acre lbs., percentage picked and percentage ginned. The details as shown by States are the compiled results of reports received from our correspondents the cotton growing States as of November 17th, 1923.

States	Estimated Lint Yield In Bales	Lint Yield Per Acre Lbs.	% Picked to Nov. 14	% Ginned to Nov. 14	Average Grade Nov. 14
Virginai	47,000	271	79	64	Middling
North Carolina	1,015,000	286	93	82	M. to St. L. M.
South Carolina	770,000	182	96	90	M. to St. L. M.
Georgia	590,000	81	97	92	M. to St. L. M.
Florida	14,000	39	100	91	L. M.
Alabama	590,000	89	98	93	M. to St. L. M.
Mississippi	575,000	90	97	92	M. to St. L. M.
Louisiana	360,000	139	95	91	M. to St. L. M.
Texas	4,015,000	140	94	92	M. to St. L.M.
Arkansas	590,000	100	89	80	M. to St. L. M.
Tennessee	210,000	89	87	75	M. to St. L. M.
Missouri	103,000	136	77	65	M. to L.M.
Oklahoma	574,000	89	72	64	M. to St. L. M.
California (upper)	55,000	335	52	46	Middling
Ariz. and all others	117,000	225	58	49	St. M. to M.
	9,625,000	126.5	92	87	

Using Mr. Hester's figures: This season starts with a carry-over of American Cotton as follows:

			Bales
VISIBLE SUPPLY:—			
Counted Interior Towns		232,000	
U. S. Ports		184,000	
European Ports		423,000	839,000
INVISIBLE SUPPLY:—			
Uncounted towns and on plantations		184,000	
MILL STOCK:—			
Southern	531,000		
Northern	499,000		
European	520,000	1,550,000	1,734,000
Carry-over (all kinds) July 31, 1923 (Lint Cotton 2,396,000, Linters 177,000)			2,573,000
To which add the probable yield indicated in this report of		9,625,000	
Linters		575,000	10,200,000
Making the season's indicated supply (lint cotton 12,021,000 linters 752,000)			12,773,000

This supply precludes any attempt to forecast the probable consumption. It is merely a question of what price will reduce the use of American cotton to the quantity available. For the first three months of this season the mills of the world operated upon a slightly reduced basis as compared with last year.

Respectfully yours,

J. W. JAY & CO.

GIRL'S RESERVE CONFERENCE AT GRENADA DECEMBER 7th-9th.

North Central Mississippi Division.

Arrangements are nearing completion for the North Central Mississippi Girl's Reserve Conference to be held in Grenada December 7th-9th. An active interest is manifested by the members of the local club, who are being assisted in their preparations by the Parent-Teacher Association. Grenada counts it a privilege to entertain this conference and nothing will be left undone which will contribute to the pleasure and comfort of the visiting delegates.

Friday evening, December 7th, at the High School auditorium, the local club will present a pageant appropriate for the occasion. Saturday there will be a business session of the Conference at the High School, lunch being served at noon in the Home Science Department. In the afternoon automobiles will be furnished by the P. T. A. to take the visitors for a ride about the city and through the famous Borden estate. Saturday evening the annual banquet will be served in the dining hall at Grenada College. Sunday morning at 9 o'clock a meeting will be held at the High School for installation of officers. At eleven o'clock devotional services will be held at the Presbyterian church at which time Dr. J. R. Countiss, president of Grenada College will deliver the principal address.

Miss Horner, state director of the Girl's Reserve, has been in Grenada several days to direct the final arrangments. Other state and national Y. W. C. A. workers will be on hand during the conference to contribute to the success of the occasion.

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W. A. McLEOD FOR RE-ELECTION

Mr. W. A. McLeod is announcing to the voters of the city of Grenada through the columns of The Sentinel this week his desire of re-election to the important office of city marshal, a position that he has filled for two full terms and an unexpired term. Mr. McLeod was first elected to serve out the term of A. Gerard, resigned, and was re-elected for the two terms following over worthy opponents which would indicate that he has been discharging the duties and responsibilities of his office to the satisfaction of the majority of the qualified electors.

The Sentinel feels sure that none will dispute the assertion that Mr. McLeod has done his duty as he saw it and that he has served the town in the capacity of marshal and tax collector to the best of his ability. That he makes a fearless officer has been attested on several occasions If his honesty and integrity have ever been questioned, this paper is not aware of the fact. Mr. McLeod is dependable and can be relied on to do whatever he says about any matter. That he is genial and obliging is shown by the number of friends he has and they have never had cause to doubt his loyalty.

Between now and the time of the first primary in February, Mr. McLeod will doubtless utilize every opportunity to discuss his candidacy with the voters who are to make their choice of the officers whom they want to serve them during the next term.

GOVERNMENT COTTON REPORT

Cotton Ginned Prior to November 14 in Mississippi: Crops of 1923 and 1922.

The Department of Commerce, through the Bureau of the Census, announces the preliminary report on cotton ginned by counties, in Mississippi, for the crops of 1923 and 1922. The total for the state was made public at 10 a. m. Wednesday November 21. (Quantities are in running bales, counting round as half bales. Linters are not included.)

County	1923	1922
Calhoun	2 413	3 221
Carroll	3 138	5 877
Grenada	2 730	5 178
Leflore	31 293	45 446
Montgomery	3 103	5 173
Tallahatchie	20 307	31 543
Walthall	4 139	7 578
Yalobusha	2 713	5 629
All others	462 734	811 357
Total for State	532 570	921 002

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COTTON CROP ESTIMATE

The Memphis Commercial Appeal's final estimate submitted herewith, places the 1923-24 cotton crop at 9,904,000 running bales, exclusive of linters and repacks.

Growth Year	1923	1922
Alabama	614,000	819,870
Arkansas	595,000	1,010,520
Georgia	611,000	735,374
Louisiana	364,000	345,407
Missouri	106,000	139,881
Mississippi	598,000	985,787
No. Carolina	1,046,000	879,294
So. Carolina	802,000	517,464
Oklahoma	588,000	637,003
Tennessee	212,000	385,860
Texas	4,105,000	3,125,758
All others	263,000	146,588
U. S.	9,904,000	9,729,306

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"Now I lay me down to sleep;
I pray thee, Lord, my soul to keep;
If I should die before I wake,
I pray thee, Lord, my soul to take."

The surgeon said afterwards that he prayed that night for the first time in thirty years.—Selected.

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